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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: <u>A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BRIDGING SERVICE FOR STANDARD</u>
<u>OBJECT IDENTIFIER BASED PROTOCOLS</u>

Enclosed are also:

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Pages of Specification including an Abstract

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Pages of Claims

Sheet(s) of Drawings A Declaration and Power of Attorney

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FOR	Number Filed		Numbe Extra	r	Rate	,	Basic Fee (\$690)
Total Claims	57	-20 =	37	X	\$ 18	=	\$666
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Multiple Dependent Claims	0			X	\$260	=	\$0
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